



PATENT

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Applicant: Ramesh Krishnamurthy
Assignee: Cisco Technology, Inc.
Title: Method of Point-To-Point Protocol Negotiation
Serial No.: 10/044,665 Filed: October 23, 2001
Examiner: Cynthia L. Davis Group Art Unit: 2665
Docket No.: CIS0142US Client Ref. No.: 4693

Austin, Texas
January 3, 2006

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REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)

Dear Sir:

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application. Please consider and enter the Preliminary Amendment, which is being submitted with this request.

The RCE fee required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e) is authorized in an accompanying transmittal letter. Applicants respectfully request issuance of a Notice of Allowance in light of the Preliminary Amendment which accompanies this RCE.

Please contact the undersigned attorney with any questions concerning this request or the above-identified patent application.

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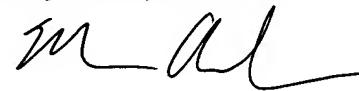


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Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith are the following documents in the above-identified application:

- (1) Return Receipt Postcard;
- (2) This Transmittal Letter (1 page) (*in duplicate*);
- (3) Request for Continued Examination (RCE) (1 page); and
- (4) Preliminary Amendment (18 pages).

No additional fee is required.
 The fee has been calculated as shown below:

CLAIMS AS AMENDED (fees computed under 37 CFR §1.9(f))

				Highest No.					
	Claims Remaining <u>After Amendment</u>			Previously <u>Paid For</u>	Present <u>Extra</u>		<u>Rate</u>		<u>Additional Fee</u>
Total Claims	76	Minus	76	=	0	x	\$ 50.00	\$	0.00
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Conditional Petition for Extension of Time: If an extension of time is required for timely filing of the enclosed document(s) after all papers filed with this transmittal have been considered, an extension of time is hereby requested.

Please charge our Deposit Account No. 502306 in the amount of \$ 790.00

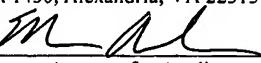
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